



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title of Invention: **METHOD FOR PERFORMING ERROR CORRECTIONS OF
DIGITAL INFORMATION CODIFIED AS A SYMBOL
SEQUENCE**

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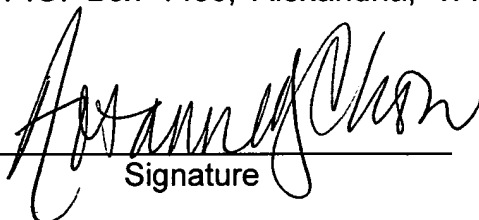
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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

December 7, 2007

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

In response to the Notice of Allowability in this case mailed September 7, 2007, the Applicants' attorney comments as follows. The Applicants' attorney thanks the Examiner for allowing the claims. The Applicants' attorney does not necessarily agree, however, with the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance, and respectfully submits that the claims may be allowable for other reasons. Moreover, it

should be noted that it is the combination of all elements recited in each of the claims that is allowable.

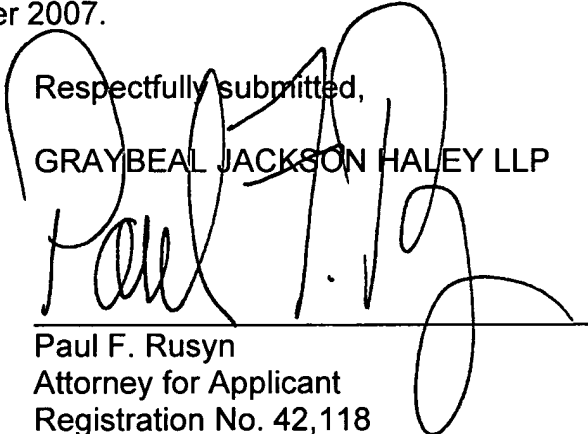
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If the Examiner believes that a phone interview would be helpful, he is respectfully requested to contact the Applicant's attorney, Paul F. Rusyn, at (425) 455-5575.

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Respectfully submitted,

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